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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: OREP (EILBERG, JOSHUA)
SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF CONGRESSMEN EILBERG AND FISH

REF: STATE 203255

1. CONGEN WELCOMES CODEL'S VISIT. WILL MEET AND ASSIST, AND MAKE RESERVATIONS WHEN PLANS ARE SOLID.
2. TRAIN TO DUBLIN: TRAINS DEPART BELFAST AT 0800 AND 1100 AND TAKE TWO AND A QUARTER HOURS. THE FIRST MAY BE PREFERABLE, BUT WE DEFER TO EMBASSY DUBLIN WHETHER THE LATTER ONE WOULD ALLOW ENOUGH TIME TO MAKE THE DUBLIN VISIT PRODUCTIVE.

3. APPOINTMENTS: IN ADDITION TO THE PERSONS LISTED IN PARA FOUR REFTTEL, AND DEPENDING ON TIME AND AVAILABILITY, THE CONGEN SUGGESTS CALLS ON:

-- THE DEMOCRATIC UNIONIST PARTY OF MP REV. IAN PAISLEY. ONE OF THE FOUR SIGNIFICANT NORTHERN IRELAND PARTIES AND REPRESENTATIVE OF POLITICAL THOUGHT IMPORTANT FOR AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE PROVINCE.

-- A REPRESENTATIVE, INTERESTED PROTESTANT CLERGYMAN
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(E.G., CHURCH OF IRELAND REV. WILLIAM ARLOW OR METHODIST REV. ERIC GALLAGHER)

-- CATHOLIC LAYMEN: TRADE UNIONIST PADDY DEVLIN AND BUSINESSMAN TOM CONATY

-- LORD CHIEF JUSTICE SIR ROBERT LOWRY OR ANOTHER SENIOR

JUDGE

-- PERHAPS CATHOLIC BISHOP OF DERRY EDWARD DALY.

4. OUT-OF-BELFAST DRIVE: FATHER DENIS FAUL LIVES IN DUNGANNON, ABOUT 30 MILES WEST OF BELFAST. IF THE CODEL WISHES AND THE SCHEDULE OTHERWISE PERMITS, THEY MIGHT CONTINUE ON TO LONDONDERRY TO MEET THE BISHOP AND ONE OR TWO OTHERS. THE TRIP WOULD TAKE A COMFORTABLE DAY, AND THE COUNTRY IS PRETTY.

5. POLICE ESCORT. THE POLICE ORDINARILY PROVIDE AN UNOBTRUSIVE ESCORT FOR CODELS. WE CONSIDER THAT THE SECURITY SITUATION DOES NOT MAKE IT ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY, BUT RECOMMEND ACCEPTING IT IF OFFERED.

6. CONGEN ESCORT: CONGEN HAS ESCORTED PREVIOUS THREE CODELS DURING THE PAST YEAR (MC GOVERN, EAGLETON AND SOLARZ) AND BELIEVES IT USEFUL.

7. VEHICLE AND DRIVER: THE CONGEN HAS ONE OFFICIAL CAR AND NO DRIVER. IF THE CODEL WANTS A CONGEN ESCORT TO APPOINTMENTS WE CAN USE THE OFFICIAL CAR AND DRIVE IT. OTHERWISE, AND FOR THE REST OF THE TIME, WE HAVE TO RENT A CAR AND DRIVER.

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8. ACTION REQUESTED: CODEL'S WISHES ON ADDITIONAL CALLS, POSSIBLE LONDONDERRY DRIVE, POLICE AND CONGEN ESCORT, AND HIRING CAR AND DRIVER.

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